

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WEDNESDAY, FEBUARY 3, 1875.

In the Supreme Court of the U.S., yesterday, Fritz and wife vs. Stover, executors, etc-appeal from the Circuit Court for Virginia. This bill was filed for the purpose of setting up a deed of trust which had been paid seven years prior to suit (1862) on the ground that the payment had been made in Virginia bank notes and Confederate money, to an agent, without authority. The deed of trust was left with an attorney for collection, and at maturity the money indicated was received in payment. The complainant alleged that he did not learn that such payment had been made until the war closed, but in his deposition it appeared that he had heard of it in 1866; in 1867 the attorney died, and in 1869 the suit was brought. The answer was that complainant did not disavow the attorney's act until after his death, por did he do so at all before the commencement of this suit, although the facts were within his knowlodge at least three years prior thereto. The bill was dismissed. It is here urged that, granting that the attorney was authorized to collect the money, his authority was given without the contingency of the war being bad in view, and that therefore the occurrence of the war revoked it. It is contended, however, that the attorney never was in fact authorized to collect the deed. H. A. and J. S. Wise for appellants, W. Willoughby for appellees.

The officers of the James River and Kanawha Canal Company and a number of members of the General Assembly had a conference on Monday evening in relation to the proposition before the Legislature to allow the cities of Richmond, Lynchburg and Norfolk to guarantee the bonds of the canal company to enable it to complete the canal to Clifton Forge. Col. Carrington, president of the company, stated that \$500,000 had been spent on that extension years ago, and \$2,055,000 was needed to finish it, and \$300,000 was required to repair the locks between Richmond and Buchanan. He also gave an interesting sketch of the immense wealth of coal and iron lying within easy reach of the line of the canal, and only awaiting its completion for development and transportation. He estimated that there was forty-three thousand millions of tons of coal represented. within easy reach of the Chesapcake and Ohio railroad, which for many purposes is equal to the Cumberland coals, and the prolongation of the canal to Clifton Forge would open up at least a hundred miles of iron and coal territory.

A doubt having been expressed and the ques tion raised as to whether Mr. Boykin, who is holding the office of Registrar of the Land Office, is constitutionally a State officer, on account of his election from the State Senate to his present position, the Richmond correspondent of the Petersburg News says, that it is certain that the attention drawn to the 8th section, of 5th act, of the State Constitution will effectually prevent any members of the General Assembly from being elected judges in case two, three, or five new circuits are created. Therefore, it is now a matter of doubt whether any new circuits will be created. The constitutional provision referred to is that "no senator or delegate, during the term for which he shall have been elected, shall be appointed to any civil office of profit under the Commonwealth. which has been created, or the emoluments of which have been increased during such term, except offices filled by election by the people.

The bill for the encouragement of land purchasers and actual settlers in Virginia, now be-Governor, the Auditor and Treasurer a permanent board to carry out the provisions of the bill, and prescribes their duties and powers. The Registrar of the Land Office is to be the secretary of the board. It appropriates \$15,000 to carry out the purposes of the bill, and provides for a capitation tax not exceeding \$2 on every passenger over twelvo years of age landed from any port beyond the limits of the United States, to be paid by the master or owner of the vessel.

We learn from the Richmond Dispatch that the Commissioner of Internal Revenue of that has written to United States District At-

L. L. Lewis advising him that the pro-'s against drawers of unstamped checks, seized in the recent raid upon the banks, may be dismissed upon defendants paying costs, and a large number of defendants availed themselwes of the opportunity for compromise thus afad. The costs in cach ease amount to

thirteen dollars.

be City Council of Staunton, yesterday, red that city bonds in payment of the mual subscription to the stock of the Valley road Company be delivered to the company. is a reversal of the action of the Council

week, when it refused to pay its subn. Baltimore has already paid over a of dollars to the corporation, and the re and Ohio Railroad has paid a simi unt, and now it rests with the Valley

e whether the road shall be continued. committee of Finance of the two Houses

gislature have resolved so to frame bill as that merchants will have to pay all specific license and be taxed upon sales .ead of upon their purchases, as at present. was also agreed that the sample merchants' wought not to be changed, except to require where they fail to establish the guilt sed to pay the cost incurred in the

Aments to the constitution have

In the House of Representatives, yesterday, Mr. Harris, of Va., moved to suspend the rules and pass a bill repealing so much of the act of February 14, 1871, granting pensions to certain soldiers and sailors of the war of 1812 and the widows of deceased soldiers, as excludes persons from the benefits of the same for disloyalty during the late rebellion, but the House, by a vote of 71 to 77, refused to second the demand.

Among the arrivals at Baltimore, yesterday. were seven vessels with cargoes of coffee, two with sugar, two with assorted cargoes from Bremen, and one cargo of Peruvian guano. Their aggregate value may be safely placed at \$1,000,000 in gold.

It is said that ex-President Johnson kept all the letters sent to him while President by members of Congress applying for office or favors, and hence the uneasiness caused by his they had twice the time that was given to the election to the Senate in certain quarters in Washington.

Michael H. Clarke, a member of the State Senate from Pittsylvania county, died in Danville on Monday last in the 48th year of his age. He was elected to the House of delegates in 1869, and in 1873 was elected to the Senate.

Ben. Butler is the advocate in Congress for the \$100,000 damage claim of Victoria Woodbull and Tennie Cleffin.

NEWSOF THE DAY.

· To show the very age and body of the Times

The French National Assembly yesterday adopted by a majority of two hundred, and amid great excitement, the amendment to the Constitutional bill which gives the President of the Republic power to dissolve the Chamber of Deputies with the advice and consent of the Scoate. The "dead lock" in the Assembly is said to be ended, the several factions of the a member of that committee. leading parties seeming to have united, and the result is a cantrolling majority.

Later accounts from China confirm the death of the Emperor, and state that the Empress. in her great grief had committed suicide. A child three years old, "son of the seventh Prince," has been proclaimed Emperor. The Empress' mother will be Regent.

Yesterday Generall Wm. P. Robeson, brother of Hon. George M. Robeson, Secretary of the Navy, received a commission appointing him to the position of Assistant Collector of Customs for Camdeo, N. J , to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Phillip T. Gray.

The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review says: "Floods and shipwreeks have caused great damage. Dry samples of wheat are uncommonly scarce, and the downward ten | not be entertained now. dency is less marked, though heavy arrivals prevent a rise in prices.

Balloting for U. S. Senators continued yes terday in the Legislative conventions of Florida Wisconsin, Minnesota and West Virginia with no change of consequence in the scattered character of the voting.

The National Grange of Patrous of Husbandry will meet in Charleston, S. C., to-day. Every State of the Union except three will be

Rev. Dr. Scarborough was consecrated Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the Diocese of landthat the rules required that he should ad Southern New Jersey yesterday in St. Mary's dress the Chiar. Church, Burlington.

A Berlin telegram says that the Ultramontanes have resolved to run the Bishop of Paderborn as a candidate for Parliament from

Brilon, Westphalia. Strangers visiting Mobile at Mardi Grass. will be handsomely entertained by citizens generally, day and night.

King Kalakaua sailed from San Francisco yesterday, for his home.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate yesterday the credentials of William A. Wallace as Senator from Peonsylvania for the term commencing March 4, 1875, were read and placed on file. A memorial of Joseph Brooks, claiming to have been legally elected Governor of Arkansas in 1872, and subsequently deprived of his rights by violence, was presented and referred to the Committee on Elections. The Judiciary Committee was instructed to inquire whether legislation is necessary to suppress gambling in the District of Columbia. The bill relating to the leases of lands by the Seneca nation of New York Indians was passed. A favorable report was made upon the bill providing that for two years after the first of July next the salaries of all officers of the Government in excess of \$1,200 per anfore the Legislature, proposes to constitute the | num shall be reduced twelve per cent. There was no discussion on the Louisiana question, Mr. Sargeant, who had the floor, being too ill

to speak. In the House of Representatives there was an exciting time. After several failures the Republicans succeeded in securing the two-thirds vote so that a report could be made on the proposed new rule, and when once gotten before the House it was soon adopted -yeas 171, navs 85. Messrs. Randall and Cox then insisted upon being excused from service on the Committee on Rules, and it was so ordered by the Speaker. An appropriation of \$9 000 was made to pay the expenses of the Louisiana investigating Com-

EXECUTION AGAINST THE STATE. - The Richmond Dispatch of Monday says:

Upon the demand of the counsel in the case of Higginbotham vs. the Commonwealth, the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Richmond on Saturday reluctantly issued an execution against the State for the judgment heretofore rendered amounting to about \$2,200 with interest. The executrix of Daniel Higginbotham, deceased, who was owner of twelve shares of stock in the old James River Company, guaranteed by the State of Virginia, many months ago entered suit in the Circuit Court against the State for the dividends due. The court decided that the claim was valid and just, but held that it could not give judgment, as the Legislature had made no provision for its payment. The case was aken up to the Supreme Court, and that tribunal decided that "the judgment of the Supreme Court in dismissing the petitioner's petition with costs should be reversed and annulied, and that judgment should be entered for the pet tioner for the amount of her demand with interest. In so deciding no power is claimed for this court to control, or in any manner interfere with, the discretion of the Legislature in making provis ion for the payment of this debt. The court can only decide that the debt claimed is just and due, and ought to be paid; that the State has consented to be sued for it, and that judgment should be rendered against her as a matter of The judgment being for more than three hundred dollars, the court has no authority to require the Auditor of Public Accounts to ssue his warrant for the amount. In such cases the provision to be made for the judgment is expressly reserved to legislative discretion, and to that discretion we mus leave it." This was said in the written opinion of the

Supreme Court. Nothing of the kind was mentioned in the order of that court. So the clerk of the circuit of Richmond was advised that it was his duty to issue the execution, which he accordingly did. The counsel of the Higginbotham heirs instructed the sheriff to levy upon ervative legislative caucus to con- the law library contained in the Court of Appeals building. Before any steps in that direction were actually taken, Hon. R. T. Danies he petit larceny a cause of dis-hi in addition to the crimes already the constitution. Sharp Sparring in the House.

In the House of Representatives yesterday, while the amendment to the rules was under the point of order that the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. Butler) should not be contipuously recognized by the Speaker, to the exclusion of other gentlemen.

his side of the House was entitled to recognition sometimes.

The Speaker replied, that side had always had more than its proportion of time. The gentleman himself had a day or two since made a similar motion twenty-five times. Mr. Randall said it was a right the Chair

could not deprive him of. Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, thought it would be well to give the floor exclusively to the gentle-

man from Massachusetts. The Speaker said : The Chair desired to repel the idea that the minority was not recogmajority.

Mr. Garfield, of Obio, reported from the Committee on Rules, the rule offered by Mr. Hale, of Maine, before given. Mr. Cox, of New York, a member of the

Committee on Rules, then made the point of order that the committee had had no meeting since Mr. Kasson's resolution was adopted. The Speaker said the resolution was for the the purpose of suspending the rules and to en-

able the committee to report now. Mr. Niblack, of Indiana, said this was simply the order of the caucus.

The Speaker said the rule was never in the

Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania, said that in view of what had taken place he tendered his resignation as a member of the Committee on The Speaker ruled that the resignation was

not in order now. That was a question for future consideration. Mr. Cox, of New York, rose to a point of order, and said he had been on the Committee of Rules for years and he never knew of such

an infringement. He offered his resignation as The Speaker said he could not entertain the motion now. The gentleman was sufficiently

familiar with the rules to know that his speech was made for dramatic effect. Mr. Cox said the Speaker had no right to question his motives or to say he made a speech

for dramatic effect. Mr. Lamar, of Miss., asked whether the Chair had a right to question the motives of

any member. The Speaker said no; but it had been intimated that he had decided unjustly. and he might therefore be excused for speaking somewhat freely.

Mr. Cox said he had not said that the Speaker ruled unjustly. The Speaker inquired whether both the gentlemen (Messrs. C.x and Randall) did not know

that the questions of their resignations could Mr. Randall said the Speaker had no right to question his motives.

The Speaker - Does the gentleman say his resignation was in order. Mr. Randall replied that it was when he made it; but the Speaker had ruled it out.

Mr. Garfield then resumed the floor and poke in favor of the new rule. Mr. Butler, of Massachusetts, having obtained the floor was proceeding to make a violent speech against the Democratic party,

Mr. Niblack, of Ind., made a point of order Premiums, that Mr. Buier was addressing the galleries, Interest on ground,

Mr. Bu ier turned around and took a position at the Clerk's desk, amid the cheers and applause of the galleries.

The Speaker rebuked the galleries; and said any demonstration was a gross violation of the privileges of the House.

Mr. Cox, of N. Y., said he supposed that was all done for dramatic effect. Mr. Butler (standing at the Clerk's desk) concluded his speech, the substance of which

was published in yesterday's G.zette.
Mr. Cox, of N. Y., said he had been rebuked by the Speaker on the ground that he had made a motion for dramatic effect. Another dramatic effect had just been attempted by the gentleman from Massachusetts, and whether it was a farce or a tragedy he desired to say that that gentleman had no political or moral right to call in question the action of the members of this House, and to say that a revolutionary measure was necessary to secure the power to the majority. If he [Mr. Cox] was guilty of intending a dramatic effect, what was the gentleman from Massachusetts guilty of when he went to the Clerk's desk and addressed the

lazzaroni in the galiery? The Speaker reminded the gentleman that under the rules any member could speak either

from his seat or from the Clerk's desk. Mr. Cox said be did not deny the right in the case, but only spoke of the dramatic effect, and said it was not for the gentleman from Massachusetts to say that the Democrats desired to obstruct business. These rules were made originally for the purpose of proteoting the minority, and to save the money of the country; and yet, for the sake of a temporary advantage, the majority proposes to break down all the safeguards against the quackeries of legislation as it comes up from time to time. In all the struggles that have been made ip the Committee on Rules he stood up against every innovation. He had opposed all changes. and he was not, therefore, amenable to any censure for a change. He would not complain now, however, for the day of Democratic jubilee had come. And you, Mr. Speaker, [addressing Mr. Blaine, | would not be here to see that jubilee if you had not been elected in the spring. [Laughter.] Put that down to dramatic effect. [Renewed laughter.]

After the adoption of the rule by a party vote, except Mr. Butler, who voted with the minority, because it was not strong enough,

Mr. Randail rose and said that upon full consideration he felt it his duty to insist upon being relieved from further service upon the Committee on Rules, and he was excused. Mr. Cox also asked to be excused.

The Chair had read fros the Record the remarks made by Mr. Cox in relation to the action of the Committee on Rules, and the impossibility of the rule being reported on Tuesday, and said the gentleman was the only one who had referred to the meeting of the committee. He said that to prevent any misanprehension he would state that the Committee on Rules had a meeting on Friday and agreed to report the rule substantially as it had passed the Houd. The two gentlemen now asking that their resignations be accepted were present and although they did not agree to the rule, parted pleasantly, agreeing to disagree.

Mr. Randall said a great deal had occurred since the meeting on Friday that was not dreamed of by the committee. The Speaker said if there was anything per-

taining to the committee that was alluded to the gentleman would please state it. Mr. Randall said that since then the Speaker had made a ruling that he had then not con-

The Speaker said the gentleman could not have known what he contemplated. Mr. Randall said it was understood that the rule was not to be reported till Tuesday. Tuesday hak never come. The Speaker had used his power to prevent one day's consideration of the rule.

templated.

After further discussion the two gentlemen were excused.

Washington yesterday.

The cash capital needed to inclose fifty acres of land, erect the necessary buildings, &c., is

pel the idea that the minority was not recog-nized by the Chair. In proportion to numbers thur Herbert, R. M. Lawson, P. B. Hooe, J. derburn, of Alexandria; Gen. W. H. F. Lee. ter provides that the minimum stock shall be \$5,000, which may be increased to \$150,000 at the option of the stockholders.

determined to open subscription books at once. The shares are to be for \$25 each, collectable \$3 upon the organization of the company, and \$2 a month thereafter. No one is expected to with sales of mixed at 77 and 78, and yellow at pay anything upon the subscription until \$5,000

every respect for an Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition of the best kind. With the fair grounds located on the line of the A. & W. R. R. persons can reach them either from Washington or Alexandria and return every half hour at a cost of only twenty cents, and it is expected that this price will be reduced during the fair. Residents of Baltimore can get to our fair grounds with less trouble and in about the same time as they can get to the Pimlico grounds and at a very little larger cost, (as our grounds can be reached by rail and the Pimlico grounds can only be reached by carriage.) The cities of Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown give us a population of 150,-000 from which to draw our visitors, to say nothing of the surrounding country, withe Richmond has a population of only about 60,-

clear weather.

Estimated Receipts and Expenses for the Potomac Agricultural Society:

For five days exhibition, averaging the attendance at 15,000 daily, and deducting for stockholders, guests, &c.:

4.000 season tickers at \$1.25. 50,000 tickets at thirty cents, Lease of grounds, Sale of privileges,

Total not including vehicles, exhibitors' fees, &c.,

Expenses.

Balance for profit, &c., The above estimate is low, but still leaves room for a large amount of contingent expenses and a fine per cent upon the outlay. Independent of any dividends that may accrue, our people should remember that an exhibition of this kind will attract to our midst a large number of visitors who will in all probability spend among us more each year than the entire improvements cost. Again, in estimating for \$15,000 to be expended in premiums, our people will, to a large extent, become the recipients of these premiums, as they will have on exhibition goods of their own manufacture, and goods for which they are agents or have on sale. There are many other advantages that could be named that we may expect from a our customers obtaining perfect satisfaction, as first-class agricultural society, but having already trespassed too much upon your space, we must conclude by urging the merchants and business men of Alexandria to take this matter in hand and push it to a successful completion, so that it shall no longer be said of us that every city the size of ours in the State,

Pay of Teachers.

You have been misinformed. "The reason why there was no money in the City Treasury to the credit of the School Board, as stated in last Saturday's Gazette, is" not "that the money for Japuary and February had been advanced to them sometime before." If your informant will examine the proceedings of the City Council of July 28th, 1874, he will find that the instalments for February and March were so advanced. It is the instalments for December and January which have not been paid, and the sum of \$1,440 is now due by the city. I make this statement in justice to the school officers, for they have always taken care that the teachers should be paid as soon as their reports were approved, except when the city has failed to meet its engagements.

The police of Philadelphia have been inves tigating another child supposed to be Charlie Ross, at Merchantville, N. J. The child proved to be one of a roving band, and bore no resemblance to the missing boy.

Mr. Jas. McGuire, a highly respected citi sen of Fredericksburg, died on Mouday, in the 70:h year of his age.

city for the month of January, are reported by Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents: House and lot nec r Wolfe and Alfred sts.

west of Fairfax, 25x30 ft; also lot in the rear, Jas Burke to M J Rafferty, \$1200. Lot n e cor Franklin and Strand sts , 100 ft 91 nches front on Strand st; also lot on east side of Union st, 186 feet 7 inches south of Franklin, 15x D) feet, Jas Green and wife to A M R & S B Co. \$1564.:0.

Lot north side of Queen st, 70 ft west of Henry, 20x160 ft, T Lannon and wife to John Hais lip, \$750. Lot on west side of Columbus st, 90 ft south of Duke, 25x83 ft 5 in., George Y Worthington to

south of Duke, 11 ft 8 in x108 it 5 in, R H Miller's executors to El za H Milier, \$262.51.

House and lot south side of Wolfe st, 52 ft east of Columbus, 16x116 ft 9 in, H C Slaymaker to S R Gillingham, \$8 0. Lot on west side of Fairfax st, 25 ft north of

OATS CHICKENS, dressed....... EGGS.....IRISH POTATOES.... CLOVER SEED.....SAPLING CLOVER.....

 SAPLING CLOVER
 7 50 G

 BACON, Hams, country
 0 12 G

 Western
 0 14½ G

 Sides
 0 12 G

 Shoulders
 0 9½ G

REMARKS.-Wheat is in very light receipt, and the market is dull ; offerings of 298 bushels, with sales of a fair sample of red at 113. Corn is quiet and steady; offerings of 1574 bushels. 77. Rye is quiet at 90. Nothing doing in Oats.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, FEBY. 3.

RELYES Schr Isabel, Baltimore to Smoot & Perry.

MARRIED.

In Baltimore, on Thursday, January 28th, st St. Peter's P. E. Church, by Rev. J. E. Grammer, D.D., GILES COOK, jr., of Virginia, to ALICE, daughter of Wm. Woodward, of Bal-

DIED

At his residence, in Madison county, on Fri day, the 20th of January, 1875, of pneumonis Mr. F. T. FRY, in the 72d year of his age.

WITHOUT REGARD TO COST.

A large stock of DRY GOODS, To be sold out.

ROBERT L. WOOD will from this day sell every article in his stock at immense reductions.
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great variety and a large stock
MEN'S AND BOAS' GOODS-Cloths, Suitings, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Over-coatings, Frem h Also LAMBS' WOOL SHIRTS and DRAW-EES. Cravats, Collars, Suspenders, Gloves,

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DOMESTICS-Cottons, Calicoes, Canton

\$ 15,000 00 Flannels, Tickings. Shirting Strips, Denins, with a full supply of goods in our line, at the lowest cash prices.

A T. ENTION, FISHERMEN! 18,000 00 TRUSTEE'S SALE OF . THORN'S GUT

FISHERY. By virtue of an order of the Circuit Court for Charles county, Md., sixing as a court of equity, the undersigned, as trustee under the original decree, will offer at public stat the risk of the first purchaser, in Port Tocco, on TUES-DAY, the 9th day of February next, between 12 and 2 o'clock p. m., the THORN'S GUT

FISHERY. Terms, by order of the Court, cash. JOHN W. MITCHELL, Trustee.

Charles county, feb 3-4t A LADDIN SECURITY OIL-Another sup ply just received. This Oil has proved itself fully equal to the representations made concerning it, and is found in actual use to be nearly as cheap as the ordinary Coal Oil, as the same quantity will last for so much longer time. We earnestly invite a trial of it, feeling assured of Shipped to the country in any quantities desired.

JANNEY & CO., 145 King st. PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION-At this time, when Coughs and Colds are so prevalent, we would again call attention to the above invaluable Preparation. It has been used by hundreds in this vicinity since we have been and many of the smaller towns, are ahead of the agents for it, and it has always given groat satisfaction. Put up in sarge bottles at one dol lar, and small ones at fity cents. The trade supplied at proprietor's rates.

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landing from schr Augusta, and for sale at mar-ket rates by W. A. SMOOT, Smoot's wharf. feb 3-1m Pears and Apples, for sale by
J. C. MILBURN,

19 north Royal st. Coffees just received by J. C. MILBURN. O HHDS NEW ORLEANS SUGAR just re-

ceived by J. C. MILBURN. 10 BOXES PRIME CREAM CHEESE J. C. MILBURN.

FLOURI 60 bbls of FAMILY, EXTRA and SUPER-FINE FLOUR.
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men's use, Gray and White Blankets, spreads and Counterpanes. Heavy Bed Quilts or Comforts, Grey, Red and Blue, Twill Frannel, and all goods in our line at the lowest prices. R. L. WOOD. dec 4 FLOUR! Lrong: FLOUR!

200 bb's CAMERON MILLS EXTRA. 100 bbls SUPEK. THOMAS PERRY, 17 King street. FYOU WANT THE BEST, ask your grocer

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HOUND-Found what? A SPECTACLE DEPOT, at which I can buy a pair of Spectacles at 25; that are good! good!! good!! Everybody should supply themseives with Spec-1 scles at the Agency at jan 29 GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE. \$5 REWARD-Lost, a PENDANT of an ear-ring, amethyst, with pearl in centre,

AMUSEME.VTS.

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rize i, and will not explode. The pri e of the Aladdin Security Oil is but a moderate advance above that of ordinary oil, but as it will burn longer, have nuch less smell and not cru t the wick, it will be found to be very economical, to say nothing of the entire "securily" in its use. It will burn in all coal oil or kerosene lamps, and, as its name indicates, will give all who use

DRY GOODS! Inventory completed.

cheap to make room for a large stock of Spring and Summer Dry Looks, Noticus, II story, &c. Just received for February sales 1875. A full line of Brown and Bleached Cottons, Sheetings, P. C. Lines and Cotton, Table Damask, Towelings, Lepkins, Dispers, Crash, Quilts, Cioths, &c.

order required by chapter 125, section 3, for the payment to me of the legacies due said infants, under the will of the late Mrs. Anna M. Fitz-

SPECTACLE AGENCY AT GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE

pair of our 20c Glasses CHAS W. GREEN, 76 King street. OST-The attention of the public is often arrested by the word "Lost," Sometimes the advertisement will read thus: Lost-A pair of valuable gold spectacles, &c., &c. The un-

25 cents per pair. CHAS. W. GREEN. jan 29 and English Ale and London Brown Stout,

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chasers to reduce stock for inventory, dec 30 D. F. WITMER CO. STAMPING-New lot of STAMPS just re-ceived, suitable for stamping Cashmere

FERGI SON'S HAIR DEPOT, 96 King street. (1HOW CHOW and Mixed Pickle, by the

by gailon, quart and pint, in store and for sale W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street.

FAMILY ROE and NO. 1 POTOMAC HERRING, Cod Fish, Nos. 1, 2 and 3

mined by the American Coal Co., and are prepared to fill large or small orders.
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As the canvass for subscriptions to the capital stock of the Potomac Agricultural Society consideration, Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, made is about to begin, I requist room for the fol-The State fair at Richmond, last year, had

over 70,000 visitors during the four days it contiqued. The price of admission was fifty cents for each grown person. The following estimate Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania, thought that is based partly upon the State fair and partly upon the receipts of the provincial fairs held at Culpeper and Leesburg, both of which have proven decidedly successful. If a fair can suc ceed in small towns like the above-Rockville, Md.; Danville, Va., and a dezen other isolated we have every natural advantage for such an

exhibition.

only \$10,000. The present Legislature has granted a char-T. Beckham, John W. Green, and A. J. Wed-Ed. Daniels, and Chulkiey Gillingham, of Fairfax; Gov. Wm. Smith, and Robert Beverley, of Fauquier; S. S. Bradford, of Culpeper; and Hon. John F. Lewis, of Rockingham, incorporating them under the name of the Potomac Agricultural Society, of Alexandria. The char-

At a recent meeting of the corporators it w.s is subscribed.

The following estimate, which does not reach rather than exceed the average, if we have

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Respectfully, RICHARD L. CARNE. Superintendent Public Schools,

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Alexandria is so situated as to be adapted in

the number of visitors to the Richmond grounds, and which places the admission fee at thirty cents instead of fifty cents, must fall below

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Advertising, printing, police, ma shals, and other necessary employees,

us in this respect.

OFFICE SUPT. PUBLIC SCHOOLS ALEXANDRIA, VA., Feb. 2, 1875.

16x73 ft 5 in., A C Harmon, trustee, to Thomas Davy, \$1225. House and lot north side of Prince st., 30 feet

Henry Miffleton, \$400.